

SUN COBALT™ CacheRaQ 4

SIMPLE, SCALABLE WEB-CACHING SERVER APPLIANCE – AT A BREAKTHROUGH PRICE



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INTRODUCING THE NEW, SCALABLE WEB-CACHING SERVER APPLIANCE FROM SUN™. As businesses and consumers become increasingly dependent on the web for information access, immediate response time will not only be advantageous but a necessary component to any business critical application. The Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ 4 server appliance has been designed to provide small to medium sized businesses, enterprise workgroups an affordable solution to dramatically increase the speed and power of conducting business on the web. Whether it is providing high-speed access to its customers or simply finding an affordable alternative to optimize existing bandwidth, the Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ 4 server appliance addresses the growing concern of network congestion.

Instant Network Performance

The Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ server appliance is a server appliance that solves a common problem: too much network traffic, not enough network. Out of the box, the Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ server appliance is ready to provide instant performance. Installation takes just minutes and the realization of increased performance is instant.

The Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ 4 server appliance improves responsiveness at extremely low costs by locally retaining copies of recently requested web documents. As a result, you save bandwidth and speed up network performance. Bandwidth traffic savings can be as high as 50%, delaying or eliminating the need for costly, time-consuming upgrades to your wide area connectivity.

Breakthrough Pricing

Until now, web-caching solutions have been very expensive to deploy and operate, ranging from \$10,000 to \$100,000. Now, Sun is making robust web-caching technology available at prices that meet the new-market need.

Room to Grow

A single Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ 4 server appliance can handle one T1 or E1 line. As your web traffic grows, Sun Cobalt's exclusive InstaCache server appliance clustering technology allows you to add cache servers when and where you need them. In addition, Sun Cobalt caching solutions interoperate with leading Level-4 switching products for further scaling.

No Network Administrator Required

You don't have to be a network genius to deploy server appliances from Sun. Unique to the Sun Cobalt server appliance family is the integration of application and system functions into a unified easy-to-use user interface (UI); if users don't want to deal with the underlying technology, they don't have to. The graphical user interface shields the administrator from technical complexities and minimizes the need for trained staff.

The first request for a web page is fulfilled via the wide area network. Subsequent requests are instantly retrieved from the Sun Cobalt CacheRaQ 4 server appliance. This conserves wide area network bandwidth.



